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THOMASVILLE NURSERIES
P.J. HJORT & SON, PROPS.
THOMASVILLE: GEORGIA

Terms of Business

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Location. Main Nursery and office at intersection of Boston and Summer Hill Roads with Boulevard, two miles east of Thomasville.

Invitation to Visitors. We take pleasure in receiving visitors at our nurseries any day except Sunday, throughout the year.

Terms. Cash with order or satisfactory reference, except to parties of known responsibility.

Transportation at Purchaser's Risk. All transportation expenses are to be paid by the purchaser; our responsibility ceases upon delivery, in good order, to forwarding companies.

Substitution. We do not substitute unless so authorized. It is well as the season advances for purchaser to name substitute varieties to be used in the event of shortage.

Inspection. Our nurseries are annually inspected by the State Entomologist, and certificate showing plants to be free of scale and injurious insects and that plants have been fumigated as required by law, accompanies every shipment. Our nurseries are free from nut grass.

Claims. If, by any possibility, errors should occur, they will be promptly rectified, if claim is made within ten days after the receipt of the goods.

Guarantee. We guarantee all stock sent out to be well rooted, well grown, true to name, properly packed and shipped according to instructions.





To Our Customers

THIS modest descriptive price list is an index to the development of an industry begun with a high purpose. Throughout the twenty-four years of our experience we have made neither phenomenal nor rapid progress, but it has been consistent. At no time has there been the beating of drums or use of large print and much paper to draw attention. In all of our dealings we have endeavored to be fair, liberal and courteous. A firm's good will is the foundation of its success, and particularly so in the nursery business, where the planter must rely upon the judgment, advice and responsibility of the one from whom he purchases.

Thomasville Nurseries was established in 1898 by P. J. Hjort, a nurseryman of wide experience, who is well known throughout this section as an authority on horticultural matters. He is still the active head of the business, giving his particular attention to the growing of high grade nursery stock and the hand-

ling of the larger planting accounts.

The confidence and support of those with whom we have dealt in past years has enabled us to advance so that in the present season we are far better equipped than ever to take care of landscape and garden requirements in the South. We welcome new customers with the assurance that every effort will be made to please.

THOMASVILLE NURSERIES Thomasville, Ga.

S. C. Hjort, Secretary, November 15, 1921.

Roses

The Rose is the most valuable flowering plant of the South, and we may have such a wealth of them, our climate being suited to the growth of nearly all of the most desirable varieties. Our Roses are budded or grafted on vigorous stocks adapted to the long Summers and occasional droughts in the South. The superiority of budded and grafted Roses has long been recognized in this section.

Rose growing has advanced rapidly in the past few years. We have been diligent in testing the new varieties, and from them some wonderful Roses are now recognized as standard varieties. We offer you the benefit of our experience.

Prices.—50c. each, \$5.00 per 12, \$40 per 100, except as noted.

Tea Roses

Alexander Hill Gray. Solid yellow in bud, opening lighter.

Caroline Kuster. Light yellow, an old Rose.

Duchess De Brabant. Light rose to shell pink, an excellent grower and bloomer, one of the most popular Roses of the South.

Etoile de Lyon. Deep yellow, opening lighter.

Helen Good. A blush pink sport of Maman Cochet, with the good qualities of its parent.

Lady Hillingdon. Beautiful pointed buds of deep golden yellow.

Mme. Lambard. Bright deep rose, variable in color, large, fine form, beautiful buds, strong grower, excellent bloomer. We grow this well known favorite in large quantities, as it is always in demand and always satisfactory. No one who has seen the great display of Mme. Lambard Roses on the private estates near Thomasville will ever forget the sight. This Rose has held first place with us for twenty years.

Mrs. B. R. Cant. Deep rose to light red, flowers somewhat similar to Maman Cochet in form, a very satisfactory Rose.

Freiherr Von Marschall. Carmine red, free bloomer, sometimes called double Papa Gontier.

Maman Cochet. This is the famous Pink Cochet. Light pink shaded with bright rose, beautiful long pointed buds and large and full flower. The most generally popular Tea Rose in America.

Marie Van Houtte. Canary yellow, deeper center, border of petals tipped bright rose. A vigorous grower, profuse bloomer and great favorite in this

section.

Minnie Frances. Dark pink, strong grower and good bloomer, long buds, a Rose on the order of Mme. Lambard.

Papa Gontier. Rosy crimson, fine long pointed buds, a vigorous and altogether excellent Rose.
 Princess de Sagan. Deep crimson. Good bloomer

in cool weather when few other Roses are in flower. **Safrano.** A fine old Tea Rose of bright apricot color and free blooming qualities. It is beautiful in bud, and in mild winters continues to bloom along the Gulf coast.



Mrs. Charles Bell

- White Maman Cochet. Decidedly the most satisfactory of all white Roses for this section. Identical in all except color, with the Pink Cochet. We cannot recommend it too highly.
- William R. Smith. The blush Rose. A cross between Maman Cochet and Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, of lovely blush pink color, free bloomer, good grower.

Hybrid Tea Roses

- Andre Gamon. Bright red, good bud and open flower.
- Antoine Rivoire. Rosy flush on yellow ground.
- **Bessie Brown.** Creamy white flowers, sweet scented.
- Betty. Coppery rose, shaded golden yellow, excellent long buds.
- **British Queen.** A white hybrid tea of fair growth and blooming qualities.
- **Countess of Gosford.** A great Rose from England. Exquisite salmon pink with delightful shadings of rose, a vigorous grower and free bloomer.
- **Columbia.** While introduced as a forcing Rose, with the proper care it is a most desirable bedding Rose. Its well shaped buds of brilliant pink on stiff stems are most attractive.
- **Duchess of Wellington.** Saffron to coppery yellow, a good bedding Rose.
- Ecarlarte. Truly a wonderful bloomer. Medium sized blooms of bright scarlet; not a cut flower variety but ideal as a bedder.
- **Etoile de France.** Lovely shade of clear, redcrimson velvet, good grower, strong in bud and flower, very popular.
- **General Janssen.** Deep, glowing carmine, large flowers, rank grower.
- **Gorgeous.** Beautiful shadings of yellow and pink, not a strong grower.
- Hadley. Deed red, only a fair grower and bloomer in the lower South.
- **Hoosier Beauty.** Glowing crimson, fair bloomer, satisfactory grower.



White Maman Cochet

Jonkheer J. L. Mock. The great Rose from Holland. Carmine outside, imperial pink inside of petals, large flower. A vigorous grower and valuable new Rose.

Killarney. One of the finest Roses ever produced. A dependable grower, free bloomer, especially pretty buds, a favorite in the South. Light to deep pink.

Killarney Queen. While not quite as free bloomer as Killarney, the flowers are of deeper pink through the season.

Konign Carola. Best described as an improved Caroline Testout.

Lady Pirrie. Outside of petals coppery, reddish salmon; inside apricot yellow, flushed fawn and copper. A valuable Rose.

Lady Alice Stanley. Deep coral rose outside of petals, inside flesh pink. A truly fine Rose.

Laurent Carle. Brilliant velvety carmine, flowers large and fragrant.

Possibly the most charming Rose in Los Angeles. The color is a luminous flame-pink cultivation. toned with coral and shaded with translucent gold at the base of petals. While the plant does well over a wide range of territory, we do not recommend it for general planting in the extreme lower South, where it takes particular care to bring it through the Summers well.

Mme. Butterfly. An improved Ophelia with intensified coloring. \$1 each.

Mme. Caroline Testout. The great Rose of Portland, and possibly the most extensively grown Rose in America. Satiny rose pink, large flower.

Mme. Edouard Herriot. A Rose of superb coloring, considered by many superior to Los Angeles. Coral red, shaded with yellow and bright rosy scarlet. A satisfactory grower, good bloomer.

Mme. Jenny Guillemot. Canary yellow with darker shadings. Vigorous, upright grower and good bloomer. Does not ball in bud like some of the yellow Teas.

Miss Kate Moulton. Rosy pink outside of petals. inside lighter. A satisfactory grower and bloomer.

Mrs. Charles Bell. This Rose can best be described as a shell pink Radiance. We have had it under close observation since its introduction three years ago, and we find it equally as good grower and bloomer as its parent, Radiance. We cannot say too much in praise of the Roses of the Radiance family.

Mrs. Wakefield Christie-Miller. Soft pearly blush, shaded salmon, dependable grower and bloomer.

White, tinted copper. Nerissa.

Salmon flesh color, shaded rose.

tiful buds on strong stems.

Margaret Dickson Hamill. A very promising new Rose of exquisite coloring; deep yellow, edges of petals tipped pink early in season, flower opens lighter. Large, well shaped buds on strong stems.

Pharisaer. A splendid Rose, strong grower and very floriferous. Color is rosy white, shaded The buds are long, and open into with salmon.

large, well-formed flowers.

Radiance. The best Hybrid Tea Rose in our fields today. In color it is a brilliant rosy-carmine, displaying beautiful opaline pink tints in the open Its wonderful growth, freedom of bloom and large flowers have made it the most admired Rose in our fields the past several seasons.

Red Radiance. A sport of Radiance, and of the same freedom of bloom and vigorous growth characteristic of this family. Easily the leading red Hybrid Tea Rose.

September Morn. Flesh pink, robust grower, fine buds and large flower.

Souvenir de Pres. Carnot. Rose to shell pink.

Sunburst. At its best it is the leading yellow Rose, but it is variable in this section and inclined to die back at the end of the Summer. Those who give it the best of care will be rewarded by the grandest orange yellow buds.

Viscountess Folkstone. Creamy white, shaded salmon pink. Very floriferous and a strong grower.

White Killarney. A white sport of the well known pink Killarney and a favorite in the South.

Yvonne Vacherot. A bright pink with long pointed buds.

Hybrid Perpetual Roses

Baroness Rothschild. Pale flesh, large, full. A chaste and beautiful Rose.

Captain Christy. Delicate flesh, large.

Clio. Rosy pink to flesh color. Very attractive.

Conrad Ferdinand Meyer. Clear silvery Rose, very attractive, intensely fragrant, good bloomer, vigorous grower.

Duchess of Sutherland. A new Rose of its class that has attracted a lot of attention. Large buds and open flower, carmine pink.

Frau Karl Druschki. This grand Rose has become renowned as the very highest type of its class and the best snow white Rose ever introduced. It is a strong grower, good bloomer, and its magnificent flowers are nothing less than glorious. It is a true paper white without a tinge of other coloring.

George Ahrends. Bright pink, satisfactory bloomer. Owing to its form it has been called the Pink Frau Karl Druschki.

General Jacqueminot. Bright crimson. The old "Jack" Rose.

Hugh Dickson. A rank grower, large crimson flowers.

J. B. Clark. Crimson, free and strong.

John Hopper. A satisfactory old rose pink.

Magna Charta. Pink, large flowers, strong grower.

Marshall P. Wilder. Very double; fragrant; crimson color.

Paul Neyron. Really too well known to need description. We can recommend it to anyone who wishes to plant Hybrid Roses; it is a dependable grower anywhere in the South, as well as the North. It is the largest Rose known: deep rosy pink, full flower, very fragrant, consistent bloomer.

Ulrich Brunner. The great red hybrid perpetual, a good companion to Paul Neyron and Frau Karl Druschki.

Dwarf Polyantha Roses

Baby Dorothy. Bright pink, very dwarf.

Catherine Zeimet. Pure white, very floriferous, double, the best white dwarf Polyantha.

Echo. Soft, tender rose.

Erna Teschendorff. Bright red, dwarf, free flowering, the best red of its class.

Mrs. W. H. Cutbush. Shell pink, very dwarf.

Orleans. Brilliant cerise in color, with white eye at center. The best of the pink dwarf polyanthas.

White Soupert. Tea Polyantha. Its freedom of bloom and pure white flowers makes it a very useful Rose.

Ramblers, Etc.

Dorothy Perkins. Beautiful deep pink, flowers borne in large clusters of small double blooms, sweet scented, fine for use on fence or trellis.

Red Dorothy Perkins. It is a good deal to claim for a Rose, but we are within bounds when we describe Red Dorothy Perkins, or Excelsa, as a brilliant Crimson Rambler on glossy, varnished Wichuriana foliage. The defects of Crimson Rambler are its tendency to blight, its unsightly foliage in unseasonable weather and its defoliation by insects: the infusion of Wichuriana blood assures an ornamental climber which is almost evergreen. Thrives in North and South.

- Silver Moon. Flowers very large, pure white in color, single, petals of great substance, beautifully cupped, forming a Clematis-like flower. The large bunch of yellow stamens in center add to its attractiveness.
- White Banksia. A vigorous grower and early bloomer, producing small double white flowers in clusters with true violet fragrance.
- White Dorothy Perkins. Identical in all except color with Dorothy Perkins.
- Yellow Banksia. Identical in all except color with White Banksia.

Climbing Roses

- **Amœna.** The Pink Cherokee. Flowers a beautiful shade of light pink with satiny sheen.
- **Cherokee.** A vigorous climber with single white flowers which appear with the first signs of Spring.
- Cl. White Cochet. A dependable white climber.
- Cl. White Killarney. A white form of the well known Hybrid Tea Rose.
- Dr.Van Fleet. Flesh pink; glossy Wichuriana foliage.
- **C1. Caroline Testout.** A vigorous climber of the delightful coloring of Caroline Testout.
- Mary Lovett. Pure white, fine form; shiny dark green Wichuriana foliage.
- Marechal Niel. The great favorite in the South Rich yellow. 75c.
- Ramœna. The new Red Cherokee, a magnificent production from south California, with crimsoacarmine flowers. 75c.
- Reine Marie Henriette. The great favorite when a red climber is desired. Cherry red, fine buds, large flower.

Broad-Leaved Evergreens

In the South we may have a great diversity of broad-leaved evergreens, both flowering and strictly foliage plants, which are indispensable in foundation planting, screen work, grouping, hedges or specimen effect. Most of our evergreens are carefully trimmed, and when dug are taken up with a ball of earth and burlaped, insuring safe transplanting.

ABELIA grandiflora. **BELIA** grandiflora. This plant fills a wider usage than perhaps any other evergreen. It can be trimmed as a specimen plant, used in groups, used in screening about buildings, or trimmed as a hedge plant. The graceful, drooping stems and branches are covered with dark, glossy leaves, making it one of the most beautiful, popular and satisfactory evergreens. When trimmed it makes a densely compact plant, and is covered from May until frost with a profusion of small, tubularshaped white flowers about an inch long, with pink throat. It is hardy as far north as Philadelphia, and we cannot recommend it too highly for its various uses.

	10	100
12 to 18 in., strong, from open ground\$0.35	\$3.50	\$30.00
18 to 24 in., strong, from open ground		
2 to 3 ft., strong, from open ground	7.50	60.00

AUCUBA japonica. A beautiful plant of dwarf habit, dark green leaves, bright red berries. 10 to 12 in., \$1.00 each.

AUCUBA japonica aurea maculata. The Gold Dust Tree. A form of the above with leaves beautifully spotted with yellow. Often used in pots and window or porch boxes, as well as in open ground planting. 10 to 12 in., \$1.00 each.

AZALEA indica. The Azaleas are the most attractive of Winter flowering shrubs in the South. We can supply layender-pink, cerise-pink and white. These plants are evergreen in the lower South. 6 to 8 in., 75c.; 8 to 12 in., \$1.00 each.

CINNAMOMUM Camphora. Camphor Handsome and fast growing evergreen. Each 100

1 to 2 ft.....\$0.35 \$3.00 \$25.00 40.00 EUONYMUS japonica. Leaves

dark.

green, a good plant for the lawn. Each 10 100 12 to 15 in.....\$0.50 \$4.50 \$40.00 15 to 18 in..... 6.00

GARDENIA florida. A very popular evergreen shrub with dark glossy foliage and large, fragrant white flowers from May until Fall. 18 to 24 in.,

\$1.50 each.

LIGUSTRUM Iwata. A comparatively new and scarce evergreen of great merit, has glossy green leaves with lighter center, and habit of growing very compact.

									Each	
12 to 15	in								.\$0.75	\$7.00
15 to 18	in								. 1.00	9.00
18 to 24	in								. 1.50	13.00
2 to 3	ft								. 2.00	17.50

- LIGUSTRUM lucidum. A beautiful form of Japanese privet with large, very dark green leaves and large heads of white flowers in May, followed by black berries which are retained throughout the Winter. Same price as Ligustrum Iwata.
- MAGNOLIA fuscata. Banana Shrub. One of the most popular and desirable evergreens in the South. 10 to 12 in., from pots, \$1.00 each.
- MAGNOLIA grandiflora. Native Magnolia. A very desirable and popular evergreen. 2 to 3 ft., \$1.25 each.
- NANDINA domestica. A very showy evergreen, or nearly evergreen shrub. In Winter its leaves turn a bright red and hang on the plant until early Spring, which, with the bright red berries makes it conspicuously attractive as a lawn specimen or pot plant. From 5-in. pots, \$2.50 each.
- **OLEA fragrans.** (Tea or Sweet Olive.) Small white flowers produced in clusters, which emit a pleasing fragrance. In the lower South the plant is in flower throughout the larger portion of the year.

Each 10 10 to 12 in ... \$1.25 \$10.00 12 to 15 in ... 1.50 12.50

with glossy, dark green leaves clustered at the ends of the branches. Plant is of compact growth; flowers yellowish white, very fragrant, appear in early Spring. A splendid shrub for massing, and can be pruned into shape as specimen, or used for a dense hedge.

 Each
 10
 10

 10 to 12 in.
 \$1.00
 \$8.00
 \$70.00

 12 to 15 in.
 1.25
 10.00
 \$5.00

 15 to 18 in.
 1.50
 12.50
 100.00

PITTOSPORUM Tobira variegata. Similar to Pittosporum Tobira, but with leaves beautifully margined white. Same price as above.

VIBURNUM odoratissimum nanum. A valuable dwarf evergreen of broad leaves of lustrous dark green; compact in growth; attains height of 6 ft. Each 10 100

12 to 15 in. \$1.00 \$8.00 \$70.00 15 to 18 in. \$1.50 12.50 100.00 18 to 24 in. \$2.00 17.50 150.00

VIBURNUM Tinus. An evergreen of great value as a Winter flowering shrub. Creamy white flowers in February, very fragrant. Shrub compact in growth, foliage dark green. Same price as Viburnum odoratissimum nanum, except unable to supply 18 to 24 in. plants.

Coniferous Evergreens

These evergreens make attractive specimen plants for lawns, etc., and are effectively used in grouping and mass planting.

BIOTA aurea nana. The dwarf golden Arborvitæ, used extensively in the South. 2 to 3 ft.,

\$2 to \$3 each.

BIOTA compacta. A valuable dark green and compact conifer. 24 to 30 in., \$2.25; 30 to 36 in., \$2.75; 3 to 4 ft., \$3.25 each.

BIOTA Rosedale. A very attractive and popular variety, of dark bluish green foliage and compact head. 12 to 18 in., \$1.25; 18 to 24 in., \$1.75; 24 to 30 in., \$2.25; 2½ to 3 ft., \$2.75.

JUNIPERUS virginiana. A rapid growing evergreen of dark green color, conical head and upright, spreading branches. 2 to 3 ft., \$1.50; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.50; 4 to 5 ft., \$4.00 each.

Deciduous Trees and Shrubs

ALTHÆA (Hibiscus syriacus) (Rose of Sharon).
A free flowering shrub producing single and double flowers in white and shades of red pink and purple in the Summer. 2 to 3 ft., 50c. each.

CÔRNUS florida. The native large white flowering Dogwood. 2 to 3 ft., 50c.; 3 to 4 ft., 75c.

CORNUS florida flore pleno. A double form of the above. Grafted, 2 to 3 ft., \$1.50 each.

CORNUS florida rubra. Similar to white flowering Dogwood, but with flowers of rose pink color. A very showy tree in early Spring. Grafted, 2 to 3 ft., \$2.50 each.

DEUTZIA. Spring flowering shrubs with white and white tinged pink blooms. 2 to 3 ft., 50c.

each, \$5 per doz.

FORSYTHIA (Golden Bell). Late Winter flowering shrubs of golden vellow flowers. 2 to 3 ft.

50c. each, \$5 per doz.

JASMINUM primulinum. A rapid growing shrub with an abundance of yellow flowers in early Spring. Can be trained up as a climber.

1 year plants 35c.; 2 year plants 50c. each.

LAGERSTREMIA indica (Crape Myrtle). A

vigorous deciduous shrub or small tree, with beautifully fringed flowers in early Spring, in white, purple, red and pink. 2 to 3 ft., 40c.: 3 to 5 ft.,

60c. each.

PIR.EA. Spiræas are indispensable for mass or border planting. They bear a profusion of showy white flowers in late Winter and early Spring. We have the Van Houttei (Bridal Wreath), Double Reevsii (tall) and Thunbergii (low) for edging or hedges. 1 year plants 35c. each, \$3.50 per dozen, \$30 per 100. 2 year plants 50c. each, \$5 per dozen, \$40 per 100.

WEGELIA. Vigorous shrubs producing a wealth of bell-shaped flowers in early Spring in white, red and shades of pink. Same price as Spiræas.

Pansy Plants

PITZONKAS. Floriferous and large flowering strains, mixed or separate colors of blue, yellow, white. 50c. per dozen, 50 for \$1.50, 100 for \$3.

Pecan Trees

STUART. Large nut, fills out well, shell medium, quality good. It succeeds over a large area, prolifie.

SCHLEY. Oblong, very thin shelled, large, fills

well, of finest quality, fair bearer.

TECHE. Small but prolific, thin shell, quality good. In our orchards the most reliable variety.

					Each	Doz.	100
2 to 3 t	ft	 	 		 .\$1.00	\$10.00	\$80.00
3 to 4 f	ft	 	 		 . 1.10	12.00	90.00
4 to 5 t	ft	 	 		 . 1.25	13.50	100.00

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